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"WHEREAS the war, so happily ended, has required our people to develop Thrift and Saving, which to some degree has stimulated freedom of action and independence on the part of some wage earners;

" AND WHEREAS it is essential to stimulate Thrift and Saving in time of peace as in time of war;

"AND WHEREAS the inauguration of the national system of War Savings and Thrift Stamps has afforded to some of small earnings a safe, sound, and guaranteed method of Government investment of their hard-earned savings:

"THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this convention do approve of the continuation and extension of the War Savings and Thrift Stamp institution as a necessary peace-time institution, or the substitution of a National Savings institution akin in character and method, which shall prove helpful to safeguard the earnings of the toiling masses of our country."

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